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PERSONAL MENTION OF THE WEEK

Local Gossip Condensed For the Benefit of Our Many Busy Readers

E. B. Ryan was down from Willits on Monday.

Billy Bond paid the metropolis a visit on Sunday.

Alf. W. Day, of Eel river, was in town this week on business.

Mrs. Clint Ganter, of Berkeley, is visiting relatives in this city.

George C. Brauer, of Covelo, was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

A. D. Duffey was over from Alpine this week on a little business trip.

J. W. Irish was over from Anderson valley during the first of the week.

Senator J. B. Sanford was a business visitor in San Francisco during the week.

H. T. Caskey and wife, of Point Arena, were registered at the Cecille on Tuesday.

Charley W. Sanders was over from Philo last Saturday attending to business matters.

J. T. Thornton, a prominent Potter valley rancher was in town last Saturday on business.

A. Stornetti and daughter Edith were in town from the south coast the early part of the week.

Fred Donohoe, who has been very ill with pneumonia for several weeks, is reported to be improving.

S. S. McGarvey, who has been in the Imperial valley for several months, has returned to Ukiah.

J. P. Lowe, the optician has returned from an extended trip through Sonoma, Napa and Lake counties.

Will Van Allen left for Upper Lake on Wednesday on business in connection with the Toggery of this city.

Miss Florence Handy, who has been visiting her family in this city, returned to San Francisco on Monday.

Henry E. Manning was over from Lakeport this week on a visit. He was a guest of the Mariners of the Cecille.

J. G. Short and wife were among the prominent visitors in town Sunday from the northern part of the county.

A. J. Bledsoe, the attorney and lumberman, was up from the city last week on legal business and other matters.

Ernest L. Williams, the popular deputy assessor of Hopland, was called to the county seat this week on important business.

John Taylor came up from the city this week. He reports his wife to be improving and thinks she will soon be able to come home.

Harris Taylor, the popular commercial traveler, has been in Ukiah this week. He now tours his district in an automobile.

Will Wallach came over from Boonville Monday and transacted a little business. He was a little "warped" but still in the ring.

Capt. Brush, of Santa Rosa, arrived in town last Monday evening to transact business in connection with the Ukiah Water & Improvement Co.

Fred Patton, teacher of the Union district schoool, Potter valley, visited in town last Saturday and Sunday. Fred is rapidly making good, all right.

R. D. Winters, the Lakeport railroad promoter, came up from the city Saturday evening and stopped over night on his way home to Lake county.

Dr. J. F. Diddle and wife and Bert Adams were over from Boonville last Sunday on a short visit. They came over in the auto in two and a half hours.

W. L. Rideout and wife came over from Lakeport to attend the Knight Templar service on Easter. Mr. Rideout is the postmaster a Lakeport and also editor of the Bee.

RAILROAD WORK IN ANDERSON VALLEY

Work on Grading Roadbed For Railroad Has Been Resumed By the Contractor

Reports from Anderson valley are to the effect that the officials of the Albion and Wendling railroad are making active preparations for the extension of their road down through the valley towards Cloverdale during the coming summer.

Last week railroad contractors arrived in Cloverdale with 80 teams and over 100 men and left immediately for Anderson valley to commence grading operations. Two camps were established—one at Ed Guntley's and the other at Eldredge's. Additional laborers and many teams have been arriving daily and the camps present a lively scene.

The surveys for the road have been completed for some time, and the right-of-way secured so the work will not be delayed. The contractors will not give a detailed outline of the work ahead of them, but from the large number of men employed and from the preparations that are being made it is apparent that an extensive piece of road building is contemplated.

The completion of the road to Cloverdale or Healdsburg will mean the development of one of the richest sections of this county, and also, will furnish a railroad outlet for the large timber interests of the coast. Anderson valley has long suffered from a lack of adequate means of communication with the outside world and with the completion of the road will at once advance to her proper place as one of the most productive and richest sections of Mendocino county.

FAVOR THE UKIAH ROUTE

Lakeport Railroad Promoters Here On New Project

R. D. Winters, Euvelle Howard and District Attorney Crawford, of Lake county, came over from Lakeport Monday evening on railroad business. Mr. Winters thinks that the natural route for a railroad into Lake county is by way of Ukiah and Blue Lakes. He further believes that he can get the road this way if our people will show sufficient interest in the matter to secure the right of way and take as much stock in the enterprise as Lakeport people. Mr. Winters made arrangements to begin getting the rights of way at once. He thinks if that can be secured, the money promised for the road via Pieta can be turned this way and that work can be begun within thirty days. He is very sanguine and is anxious that the people along the proposed route give the right of way. He has made arrangements with Mr. P. Connolly to go to work at once and see the people along the line and secure the rights of way. He evidently means business and says he can have the road completed within a year.

Let everybody get in and boost for this road as it means much to Ukiah and Mendocino county.

Indians Will Law

Another Indian law suit similar to the famous Dick Ruddick case will soon occupy the attention of the superior court Capt. Jack wants to sell the Indian rancheria at Pinoleville to some Potter valley Indians. Two white men, trustees Wm. Ford and I. C. Reed, will contest the sale claiming that Capt. Dick has no individual interest but simply represents the tribe. The case will be watched with considerable interest as the land will soon become valuable for the purposes intended.

Coast Lumber Shipments

The condition of the lumber market in coast sections of the county for the month of March was active. Most of the mills were filled with orders for future shipments. Logging operations in the various camps were in full swing. During the past month the coast ports shipped to the San Francisco market 4,928,000 feet of lumber, and 17,000 railroad ties.

STATE HOSPITAL'S ATTENDANTS RESIGN

Ten Female Employees Resign Their Positions in a Body on Account of Matron and the Stand Taken by the Superintendent. Institution is now Running Shorthanded.

On last Monday evening the climax in the differences between the female attendants of the Mendocino State Hospital for the Insane, and Dr. E. W. King, superintendent of the institution, was reached when ten of the malcontents resigned their positions and declared themselves in no unmistakable terms as to their position in the controversy.

The trouble has been brewing for several months, and the ground of contention is centered on the acts and conduct of the Matron, Miss Jeanette Honn, towards her subordinates. The female employees have a long tale of grievances to unfold in regard to their superior, and declare that their position is unbearable while under the matron's supervision. They resigned their positions rather than submit to further discord and strife.

The action of the dissatisfied females is not the result of a sudden determination on their part, but rather is the result of the action of Dr. E. W. King, who had promised to investigate the charges they had preferred against the matron, and which charges, so the attendants allege, he failed to inquire into, and seeing no relief from their position, they resigned.

During the early part of March one of the female attendants, Miss Babe Alley, went to the medical superintendent and reported a case of gross cruelty to a patient that had occurred on Ward C, on which she was employed, and at the same time stated several incidents wherein the matron had been unfair and negligent in her duties. The case of gross neglect was that one Mrs. Luzier, of Salinas, who is a delicate, frail patient, and was at times noisy. On the day in question an attendant put Mrs. Luzier in a cell with a violent negro woman, who was unrestrained, and left her, and some three hours later Miss Alley, another attendant, looked inside the cell and discovered Mrs. Luzier on the floor lying in a pool of blood. The negro patient had her fingers about her cell-mate's throat and blood was running from the latter's mouth and nose. Miss Alley immediately stopped the abuse and reported the occurrence to the matron and to Dr. King, the latter official said he was tired of hearing such complaints, and that if Miss Alley, or any one else, made further criticism of the matron's supervision of her duties he would put the complainant outside the state grounds at once. To which statement Dr. King gave an absolute denial later when the attendants appeared before him in a body. In conjunction with the foregoing incident it is timely to state that the superintendent gave the attendant, who had been responsible for this case of negligence, charge of Ward C.

The general charges against Miss Jeanette Honn, the matron, are that she is utterly incompetent to fulfill the duties of her position, also that she is unfair, partial, discriminating and negligent. Also that by reason of her temperament she is not a fit person to be in control of over 300 insane patients and the female attendants. Again that she does not make out the time of the women under her direction in a proper manner. Several incidents are reported wherein the matron has given in the time and failed to report it correctly; on several occasions stating that substitutes have been employed when attendants have been ill, and at which time no extra employees have taken the attendant's place.

During the early part of last month the female attendants, eleven in number, signed a petition, and presented the same to Dr. E. W. King asking redress from the acts of the matron and stating their position in the matter. The lady who presented the document was informed by the chief official of the asylum that he would not stand such acts on the part of the female employees and ordered the lady off the state grounds at once. This decision was reported to the other attendants at once, and they in a body immediately adjourned to the executive office of Dr. E. W. King and stated that they, eleven in number, would leave at once if Miss Alley was discharged. The superintendent immediately temporized the irate females by telling them he would put the matter before the board of managers at their April meeting, and for them to go back to their duties.

A few days later the superintendent took the testimony of the dissatisfied women in deposition form, and claimed that this was to be presented to the board of managers. The board met on last Friday and the matter was taken up. The decision of the board was not given out by Dr. King until Monday, when the attendants were notified that the board had referred the whole affair to that official's judgment. The doctor also stated that he upheld Miss Honn in all her acts, and that her method of conducting the affairs of the female wards was satisfactory to him. The eleven women notified the super intendent that they were desirous of resigning at once, and their resignations were accepted.

Some eighteen attendants are employed in the institution. One of the eleven signers of the petition failed to go out. After the ten had left, the asylum authorities got very busy with the telephone in their frantic endeavor to secure additional help on the female wards. Up to Wednesday evening only four inexperienced women had been secured, and the work of giving the unfortunate insane the proper care has been seriously hampered. The superintendent had not made the necessary provisions to fill the places of the stiking attendants, as he was sure they would not take the determined stand of last Monday, so it is said.

The women who left their positions at the aslyum are Misses M. White, Ida Hawn, Babe Alley, Cleo Osborn, Edith Johnson, Bertie Looney, Lillian Burke, Mrs. G. Marten, Mrs. M. Hardin and Mrs. M. Clark. Miss Lilie McKenize signed the petition but failed to go out with her colaborers.

Many charges are made by the resigned empoyees in regard to favoritism shown by the management to the conduct of the male members of the staff of the asylum. They state that drunkenness and gambling are carried on in the hospital, and of which the high officials are cognizant, and which is winked at. Abuse to the patients is also charged. It is also claimed that the medical superintendent rarely visits the various wards, and does not know what is transpiring, but takes the words and reports of his subordinate officers as final, and the employees have not the right to ever make a complaint.

Mrs. Susan Todd's Will

Attorney W. G. Poage has filed the will of Mrs. Susan Todd for probate. Outside of the property disposed of by deed before her death, there is some $8000 worth of prroperty to be administered upon. Mrs. Todd gives this property to the children of her four brothers, each family to have an undivided one-fourth. There are 38 children and heirs in all to share in the property.

Fire Alarm Wednesday

On Wednesday morning the fire bell sounded an alarm for a small blaze in the residence of Chris Bruns in the Wagenseller addition. The fire company responded to the call, but found that their services were not needed, as the fire was put out by the neighbors before it had gained any headway. The loss was nominal. Defective flue was said to be the cause of the blaze.

CASIMIR CELEBRATES 2ND ANNIVERSARY

Large Attendance Enjoy An Evening of Jollity. Splendid Program For the Occasion

Last Tuesday evening Casimir Chapter, O. E. S. celebrated its second anniversary in a very appropriate manner. After the usual routine business had been concluded the doors were thrown open and a number of invited guests ushered in to assist in making the evening a red letter one in the history of the order. Many young people were present and assisted materially in making the affair a success. There were songs, recitations and addresses and then ice cream and cake were in order. Afterwards dancing was also indulged in to the delight of the young people.

This lodge is noted for its young members and its splendid entertainers, and every evening witnesses a large attendance as something new and instructive is sure to be on the program. Seldom a meeting passes that someone is not initiated into the order. The lodge is only two years old and has a membership of over 80. One petition was received last meeting night, and a number of others are expected soon. Mrs. G. E. Case is the worthy matron and is ably assisted by a splendid corps of officers. The drill team is second to none in the state.

UKIAH SCRAPPERS TO BATTLE

Binkley Fights in Santa Rosa. Rich In Fort Bragg

Grover Binkley the Ukiah welterweight fighter is to meet his old time opponent, Walter Coffey, in Santa Rosa on May 6th. This promises to be a battle royal, as each of the boys hold a knockout decision over the other—having met on two previous occasions. Binkley has been in Santa Rosa for the past two weeks engaged in active training for the event, and reports from his training quarters are that he already is in fine shape for the contest and is training conscientiously, as he realizes that this fight will settle his future career in the ring.

Chester Rich, of this city, is to meet Kid Golden, of Fort Bragg, on April 24th, at Fort Bragg, for a fifteen round contest at 140 pounds. The Fort Bragg fighter has a good record, and is known as a man who carries the fight to his opponent. Rich is also an aggressive scrapper, and a battle full of stirring action is looked for when these two meet. The winner of this fight has been challenged to meet Fritch, the fighting Dutchman of Oakland.

The Ukiah sports will pin their faith, and incidentally their coin, on the representatives of their town in the coming fistic arguments and many of them will be at the ring side to urge their favorites on to victory.

Wedded in Berkeley

A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. E. C. Browne at 1622 Oxford St., Berkeley on Wednesday evening when Alfred T. Howe and Bertha Browne were married. Rev. Hodgson performed the ceremony and the ring service was used. Only the immediate relatives and a few close friends were present. The groom was formerly a Potter valley boy. Two years ago he graduated from the university of California as a civil engineer and has a position in San Francisco with the Western Pacific. The bride is well known in the college town.

Will Be Married in June

The Santa Rosa Republican makes the announcement of the engagement of Fred Shire, an employee of the local railroad and Miss Hazel Milne, of this city, the marriage to take place in June. The couple will make Ukiah their home. The bride-to-be is the third member of her family who has chosen a railroad man for a husband—Mrs. Benepe of Sebastopol, and Mrs. William Ward, of Healdsburg, being the other two.

N. A. Barnett and Leroy N. Barnett were down from Potter valley last Tuesday on a hurried visit.

POTTER VALLEY'S BIG FISH CASE

Much Interest Manifested in Brooks Case and Valley Turns Out en Masse to Hear Trial

Potter valley turned out en masse last Thursday to hear the trial of the famous fish case that had set the valley all agog. The day was a beautiful one and the men folks, the women folks, the boys and the girls, and the hired hands, all took a vacation and attended the trial. It had every appearance of a 4th of July celebration, people sat around on the village green and ate their lunches and chattted earnestly over the outcome of the case.

By and by the craning of necks and breathless whispers, "Here they come," announced the approach of Assemblyman Preston, attorney for the defense, and Robert Duncan, representing the people. Judge George E. Shinn called court and "they were off." According to the general understanding, Wm. Ray and B. H. Miller caught Clyde Brooks and young Gardy Gibson over on Eel river with four fish in their possession which had been gigged. The game wardens showed the fish to A. V. LaMotte and he pronounced them steelheads. The fish were sent to the Fish and Game Commission in San Francisco and were pronounced steelheads. So the game wardens notified the District Attorney and arrested young Brooks to test the case, and then the fun commenced, and the valley turned out en masse as indicated.

J. W. Preston, fresh from his laurels at Sacramento where he had increased his stock of wisdom as to fish lore, was secured to defend the young man. Experts were placed on the stand to prove that the fish were steelheads, but they could not distinguish between a dorsal fin, an anal fin or a Russian Finn, when Preston got through with them. The adroit attorney had introduced a disciple of Isaac Walton to go and catch a fish just like the ones caught and produced it in court and the experts declared it to be a salmon. Preston then proved by Dr. Jordan and others that there was no such a thing as a steelhead in these streams, that they were all white salmon. The crowd was with Preston and would cheer every time he made a monkey out of the experts, which he did at regular intervals. It was really better than a circus and will long be remembered as a red letter day in the history of Potter valley ichthyology.

Judge Shinn himself was formerly a Columbia river fisherman and was satisfied that the fish were not steelheads, so he discharged the boy. Then pandemonium broke loose, the kids and every body else played "ring around a rosy" and gave the "right hand of fellowship" in their glee. They raised the sum necessary to pay Preston's fee, and the game wardens departed from out the land and the lazy school boy continues to gig fish with impunity.

Potter Valley, April 12.

CHILD HAS A CLOSE CALL

Receives Severe Burns and is Saved By Fred Sholl

On Monday evening the youngest daughter of Fred Gowell and wife, of this city, was severely burned about the face and shoulders. The child was visiting at Fred Sholl's residence and accidently knocked a kerosene lamp off the table. The burning oil covered the child's head, and only the prompt action of Mr. Sholl, who immediately threw a rug about the child, saved it from fatal injuries. The sufferer is doing nicely at present, and will not suffer any permanent results from the accident. Mr. Sholl is to be commended for his cool-headedness and prompt action as he doubtless saved the little girl's life.

Marriage Licenses Issued

The following marriage licenses have been issued out of the county clerk's office during the past week: J. C. Berry, of Caspar to Miss Emmi Eskola, of Fort Bragg; O. M. Doolittle, of Mendocino to Miss Catherine Doan, of Caspar.

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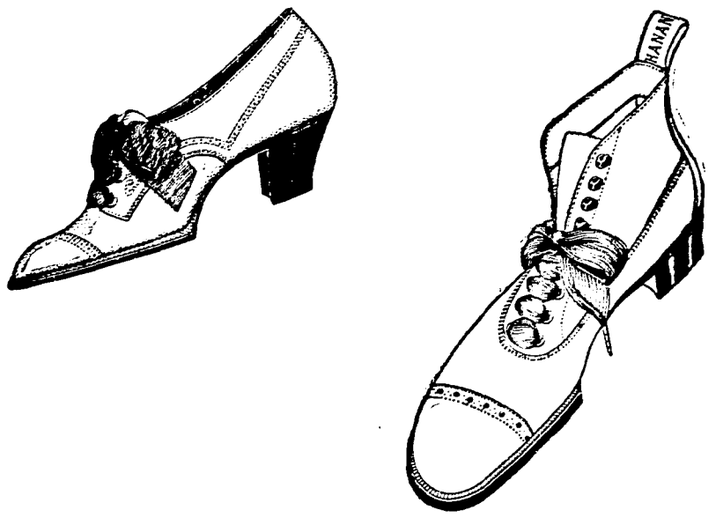

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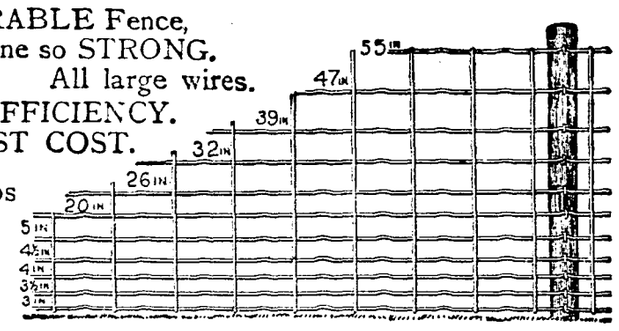

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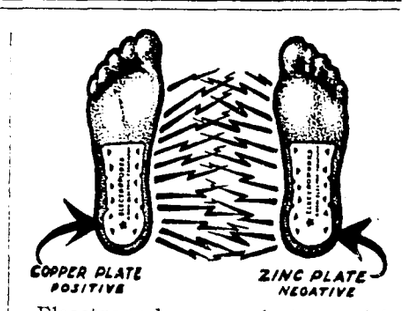

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NEWSY ITEMS FROM WILLITS

Interesting Budget of News From Our Northern Corrspondent

Willits, April 13, 1909. The following items are gleaned from the annual financial statement of town treasurer W. N. Baechtel. The total receipts of the town last year were $13,452.20 and the expenditures were $10,142.69, which leaves a balance on hand of $3309.51.

We have had two fire alarms since our last letter, Saturday the fire department was called out by a fire in Shimonousky's taillor shop and Sunday by a fire at George Endicott's home. Both fires were caused by defective flues and very little damage was done.

Supervisor Saxton has eight crews working the roads in the various parts of his district. Last week the Ukiah road and the valley roads were finished and this week a large crew is working the Fort Bragg road. He informs us that he will put the roads between here and Humboldt in good condition for the summer travel. He has the largest and hardest district in the county to keep up and certainly is deserving of a great deal of credit.

Roy Whited has a large crew of men building the Broaddus creek bridge across Main Street. The bridge will be 56 feet in length, 86 feet wide and have a double roadway and sidewalks on each side. It will be a splendid structure.

Glen Kennedy and Walter Moore returned to their studies in Oakland and San Francisco respectively, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley, Jr., and infant are visiting his parents in San Rafael.

Easter Sunday was observed in the usual manner. All of the churches had special service and the women and girls came out in their new millinery and certainly looked too sweet for anything.

Miss Lulu Davis is visiting friends in San Francisco.

C. A. Cady has taken charge of the grocery department at the Willits Mercantile store.

GOOD NEWS

Many Ukiah Readers Have Heard it and Profited Thereby

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Ukiah are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Many grateful people are telling the good news, of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

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NOTICE —TO— TAXPAYERS

TAXES

As required under Sections 3746, 3748 and 3749 of the Political Code of the State of California, notice is hereby given that the Taxes on all Personal Property secured by real property, and one-half of the Taxes on Real Property were due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER

And were delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER.

Thereafter, at 6 o'clock p. m. and that unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half is not paid before the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL.

Next, at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional 5 per cent will be added thereto: that the remaining one-half of the Taxes on all Real Property will be payable on and after the

FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY

And will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL

Next thereafter, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

SECOND—That all Taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

THIRD—That the place at which payment of Taxes may be made will be at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Court House at Ukiah, Mendocino County, California.

W. S. VAN DYKE,
Tax Collector

Library Report

The public library report for the three months of 1909 show the following statistics: Number of days open 87 of which 13 were Sundays; number of visitors for that time 4147; total number of books loaned 2123, of which 1486 were fiction, 517 juvenile and 120 general literature, also 334 magazines were loaned. These loans were for home use aside from the reference books. Magazines, newspapers and general reading done at the library reading room. There were 77 new registrations, bringing the total membership to 1074. Books were given by Bennet Pemberton, Mrs. I. W. Bailey and Lee Cunningham. Magazines by Mrs. Rodwick, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Crandall, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Babcock, Mrs. Stiwell Mrs. Stapp, W. E. Whitmore and Dr. Bowles.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Amadeo Beretini, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, John Taylor, administrator of the estate of Amader Beretini, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his residence in Ukiah City, California the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated January 23, 1908.

JOHN TAYLOR,
Administrator of the estate of Amadeo Beretini, deceased.

McNab & Hirsch, attorneys for administrator.

OBJECT TO STRONG MEDICINES

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more than nine out of every ten cases of the disease are of one or the other of these varieties. When there is no fever and little if any swelling you may know that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. Try it. For sale by J. R. Mathews, Ukiah, Cal.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the State Board of Prison Directors to be paroled from the State prison at Folsom according to law. J. W. Hart.

MIDDLE COAST NEWS ITEMS

Items Gleamed From the "Beacon" For Our Coast Readers

Mike Nolan has contracted with the lighthouse board to haul all freight for the lighthouse from Mendocino and Caspar.

Postoffice Inspector Seller visited the coast postoffices last week. As usual, he found the Mendocino postoffice correct in every detail.

Principal Iverson was circulating a petition last Saturday asking that the name of Big River school district be changed to Mendocino district. It was being freelly signed.

Fred Cavaris, who met with the misfortune of getting a piece of steel in one of his eyes last fall, has returned home. The injured eye was removed. It will be some time before he will be able to use the other eye.

Something has occurred to cause the telephone company to again secure the services of G. R. Jahnigan as general manager of its interests in this portion of the Mendocino coast. Mr. Jahnigan's long experience as coast manager and his well known practical way of handling things fit him for the place.

John Mahurin and daughter, of Caspar, made a trip to San Francisco and back on the last Sea Foam. Mr. Mahurin has traded his place near Caspar for a house and lot in Berkeley and will probably move down later on.

People who have had the occasion to travel the coast roads lately are more than delighted at the good work being done by the new supervisor. Mr. Brandon is certainly making a start that leaves no room for adverse criticism. Especially between here and Fort Bragg is much needed work of a substantial character being done. Between that city and Noyo a very hard rock has been put on the highway, and it in turn was covered with a softer rock that will grind up and form an ideal combination. In a few weeks that particular stretch will be almost like it had been macadamized.

DO YOU KNOW that 19 out of 20 fail to lay by anything for old age, or leave anything for their families at death? That 5,000,000 women are compelled to work for a living? That 35 per cent of the widows are in want, and that 90 per cent lack the common necessaries of life?

That 90 per cent of the estates of $5,000, or over, are dissipated in seven years? These are facts. You can prevent such conditions by getting a New York Standard Policy in the "EQUITABLE LIFE."

Send your age, and get figures.

J. C. RUDDOCK
Ukiah, Cal.

FOR CONSTIPATION

Mr. L. H. Farnham, a pominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are certainly the best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You are certain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect Price, 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by J. R. Mathews, Ukiah, Cal.

Kodaks, Cameras, from the smallest to large ones, nobody would object to one for a Christmas or New Years present, photgraphic supplies. J. R. MATHEWS' PHARMACY.

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Contains 100 beautifully furnished steam heated apartments, 40 baths. Private telephone seovice Sample rooms for commercial travelers.
Eddy St. cars from ferry pass the door and connect with 3rd. St. cars from S. P. Depot,
Rates from $1.00 up. Phone, Private Ex. Franklin 428.

The Hamlin is the new headquarters of Mendocino Business Men

SAN FRANCISCO

The ladies of the M. E. Church, South, will hold an exchange every Saturday, from 10 till 2, at the home of Mrs. Dr. Case. Cakes, pies, salads, chickens etc., for sale.

Probate of Will

In the Superior Court, of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Anna Shimmin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 19th day of April, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, and the court room of said court, at the court house, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Anna Shimmin, deceased, and for hearing the application of Wallace E. Smith for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentay thereon issued to said petitioner.

(Seal) HALE McCOWEN,
County Clerk.

By C. H. White, Deputy Clerk.

Preston & Preston, attorneys for Petitioner.

Dated March 31st, 1909.

ONE TOUCH OF NATURE MAKES THE WHOLE WORLD KIN

When a rooster finds a big fat worm he calls all the hens in the farm yard to come and share it. A similar trait of human nature is to be observed when a man discovers something exceptionally good—he wants all his friends and neighbors to share the benefit of his discovery. This is the touch of nature that makes the whole world kin. This explains why people who have been cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy write letters to the manufacturers for publication, that others similarly ailing may also use it and obtain relief. Behind every one of these letters is a warm hearted wish of the writer to be of use to someone else. This remedy is for sale by J. R. Mathews, Ukiah Cal.

To The Public

All reading matter, data and statistics to be published in the Knights Royal Arch souvenir program must be sent by April 5th. Please send all correspondence to Geo. P. Anderson, Secretary Ukiah Business Men's Club, Ukiah Cal. All advertising matter, cuts, etc., must be sent in by April 5th. Address same to H. P. Siems, Ukiah, Cal.

RHEUMATISM

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp weather or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. Price, 25 cents; large size, 50 cents. Sold by J. R. Mathews, Ukiah, Cal.

Horses Lost

I have lost from the Bill English ranch in Redwood valley one cream colored mare, 16 hands high with white main and tail; one black horse with white spot in forehead and one white hind foot; one bay mare, 15½ hands high with large scar on top of neck when color rests. They may have strayed into Potter valley.

W. H. Miller, Ukiah, Cal.

Eph Weiss, the expert refracting optician, of San Francisco, will be in Ukiah at the Hotel Cecile on April 8th.

George Schmitt

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Ladies' and Gent's cleaning and pressing a specialty.

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POINT ARENA AND VICINITY

A Resume of South Coast News Taken From the "Record"

William Ketchum has now command of the annex of the Hotel Point Arena. Billy can keep the guests amused.

N. A. McCalllum and H. Tuellner have been elected to represent Garcia Lodge, I. O. O. F., at the Grand Lodge session in San Francisco next May.

The telephone company is increasing its wires in town, thus reducing the number of phones on each wire and lessening the opportunities of the rubbers.

A representative of the government was here since our last negotiating the purchase of forty acres of land from W. E. Foster for a reservation for the Indians. We understand $2000 was the price agreed upon.

J. W. Kingren's new building is completed and has received the first coat of paint. The adjoining buildings owned by Mr. Kingren are to be painted, and we hope the good work will continue on down the street.

From a reliable source we learn that the General Land Office in Washington has decided the land contested cases on Alder creek in favor of the script. This means that the settlers have lost their claims, but how many of them the decision covers we are unable to say at this writing.

Point Arena has two government institutions—a life saving station and a lighthouse—and can have the third—an experiment station—if the farmers will take enough interest in trying to secure it. Wake up, you sleepy agriculturists and get in line with progressive and modern farming. Don't forget that Uncle Sam, as well as God, helps those that help themselves, and that all things come to those who diligently seek them.

Assessor's Notice —To— Property Owners

All taxpayers are required by the constitution to make and deliver to the County Assessor, annually, statement, under oath, setting forth specifically all the real and personal property owned by such person, or in his possession, or under his control,

AT 12 O'CLOCK MERIDIAN ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH.

Note: The assessment of property throughout the State of California is made during the months of MARCH, APRIL, MAY and JUNE, and the law requires that each individual property holder file a statement with the Assessor or his deputy during those months.

MORTGAGES.

Mortgages, or persons who hold mortgages against others, must annually during the month of March report to the Assessor the amount due on their mortgage, otherwise proper deduction cannot be made.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The Assessor must collect the taxes on all personal property when, in his opinion, said taxes are not a lien upon real property sufficient to secure the payment of the taxes. The Assessor or his deputy must collect such taxes at the time of making the assessment.

STATE POLL, ROAD POLL AND HOSPITAL TAX.

Are due on demand from all persons liable to same. Between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, the amount is state poll $2.00, road poll $3.00, hospital $1, if not paid by the first Monday in July, $1.00 is added and the amount becomes $7.00.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed to the wrong name, or those who have purchased real estate within the past year, are requested to appear with their deeds at the Assessor's office or to the deputies, during the months of March, April or May, and have the proper changes made.

Will those having fruit trees or vines kindly enumerate the same, giving number and age of each kind, so as to save time when the Deputy Assessor calls.

Any desired information relative to assessments will be furnished upon application at the County Assessor's office, Corut House, Ukiah.

M. A. THOMAS,
County Assessor.

OUR COAST BEACONS.

Cheering Lights That Warn and Guide the Mariner.

A BLAZE OF KEROSENE OIL.

The Wonderful Lamps and Lenses That Produce the Brilliant and Far-reaching Flame—Why Electricity Is Not Used In Lighthouses.

The goal toward which the lighthouse board of this country is striving is a continuous chain of lights completely encircling the United States and possessions and in the case of rivers and inland seas bounding the waters on all sides, so that a ship may never leave the area of a light thrown by one lighthouse before entering the circle of the light of another. As fast as congress will appropriate the money the gaps are being filled.

But what makes the light? When the curious inquirer is told "kerosene" he naturally wonders why his own student lamp does not give a better light if the same oil in the lighthouse sends its beam from five to twenty-five miles.

Various methods of lighting were in use until 1840, when a new system was introduced of employing nearly true paraboloid reflectors and better glass lenses. In some cases these reflectors gave a light which is not surpassed even today except when handled with intelligent care. In 1852, when the present lighthouse board was instituted, the Fresnal system of lenticular glasses was introduced from France and still remains. The first cost is great, but by the saving of oil over the reflector system this is soon reduced. With any reasonable care a fine light always results, and it is impossible for a keeper to maintain a poor light with this apparatus without flagrant disobedience of instructions.

Even with such an apparatus no common lamp can supply the light. First order lamps have five wicks, one inside the other, and are fed with oil by a pump and pipe system. The oil is fed to the wicks so that it reaches the ends where the flame is in the right time and in the right quantity. It is difficult to look at it, so intense is the light. In the lenses rather than in the lamp is the secret, for they pick up and utilize nearly all the rays of light which ordinarily go astray. The Fresnel apparatus collects almost all of this waste light and reflects and refracts it out in one great broad beam of light, parallel to the surface of the sea, where it is needed.

The flames which come from the lamps are largely transparent. So, of course, are all other similar flames. If flames were not transparent there could be no advantage in having one flame inside another and a third inside the first two, etc. The lights from the inner flames could not get out and would do no good.

In some lighthouses, usually for range light purposes, the light is all to be concentrated in one beam. This is done by concentric rings of prisms and a central bullseye and a reflector. Vessels getting such a light in range, either by itself or with another light and running down the beam, are safe from obstructions which may be near by, the range lights or beams of light marking out the channel to be followed.

It is frequently asked of light keepers why electricity is not used in place of mineral oil. An electric light is expensive to install and difficult and expensive to maintain. There is always difficulty in keeping the arc exactly in the focal point of the lenses, the carbons never burning twice alike and constant watching being necessary. Failure to have the light source exactly in the focal point of the lens results in sending the light rays up or down instead of straight out, where they are wanted. Electricity, while superior in penetrative power in a fog, has no advantage over a powerful oil lantern in clear weather. Mineral oil, colza oil or lard oil lights of the first order could be seen a hundred miles were it not for the curvature of the earth, and as long as the light is visible long before the coast is all purposes are served.

It is only within recent years that mineral oil has been in use. Lard oil succeeded colza oil and was used exclusively up to 1880 and with mineral oil up to 1889. Since the latter year mineral oil has been used entirely, except where electricity has been experimented with, or coal or acetylene gas. So far coal oil, for power, efficiency, cleanliness, ease of operation and cheapness, holds its own against all other means of light making.

Electricity, if it can be successfully installed, is the best light, but through expense of maintenance and in the inability to get skilled attendants for such a light for the price set on keepers' services it makes slow headway.

The traveler who cruises up the coasts and who sinks one light before picking up another must know that somewhere in the dark circle is a spot picked for the foundation of a light which will be erected as soon as funds and time allow.—Scientific American.

Climate and Weather.

One day at school small Lola was called upon to explain the difference between climate and weather.

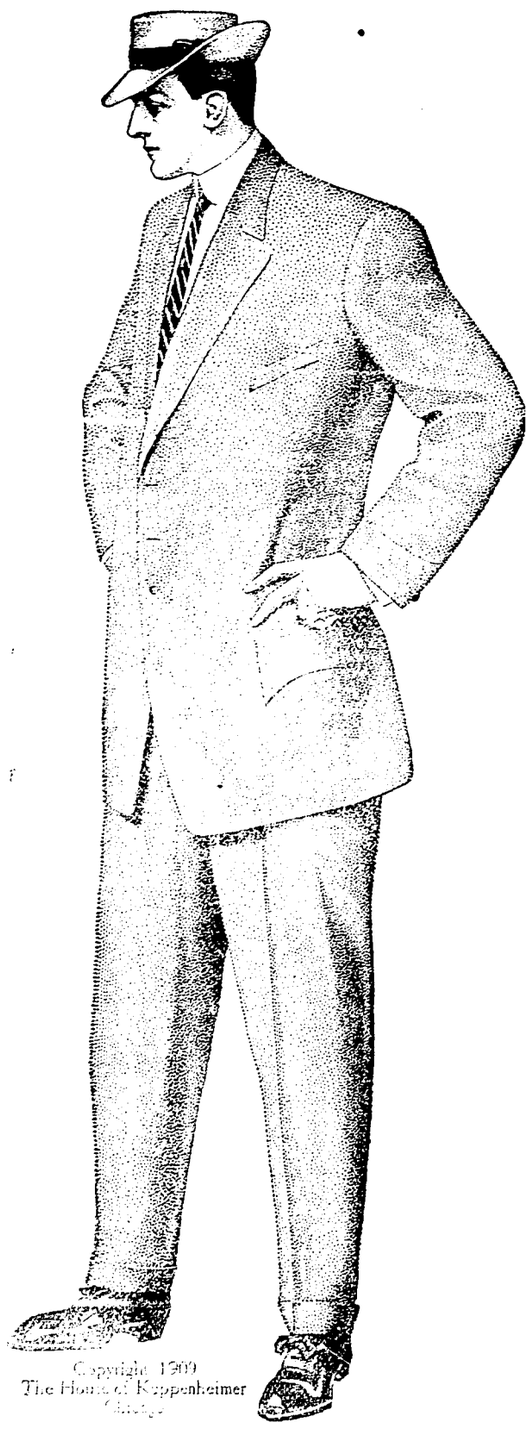
"Climate," answered the little miss, "is what we have with us all the time, but weather only lasts a few days."—

THE BEST EASTER SHOWING

MADE BY THE CITY OF UKIAH

There has been more than one compliment passed the City of Ukiah as having, not only the greatest number, but the prettiest garments and the swellest fits on the streets of Ukiah Easter Sunday, in both Men's and Ladies' Suits. This store has always been noted for its high-grade merchandise and the people have been shown that it is still up to its standard.

At the City of Ukiah you can always find the biggest assortments of high-grade goods at lowest possible prices, for either man or woman or child.



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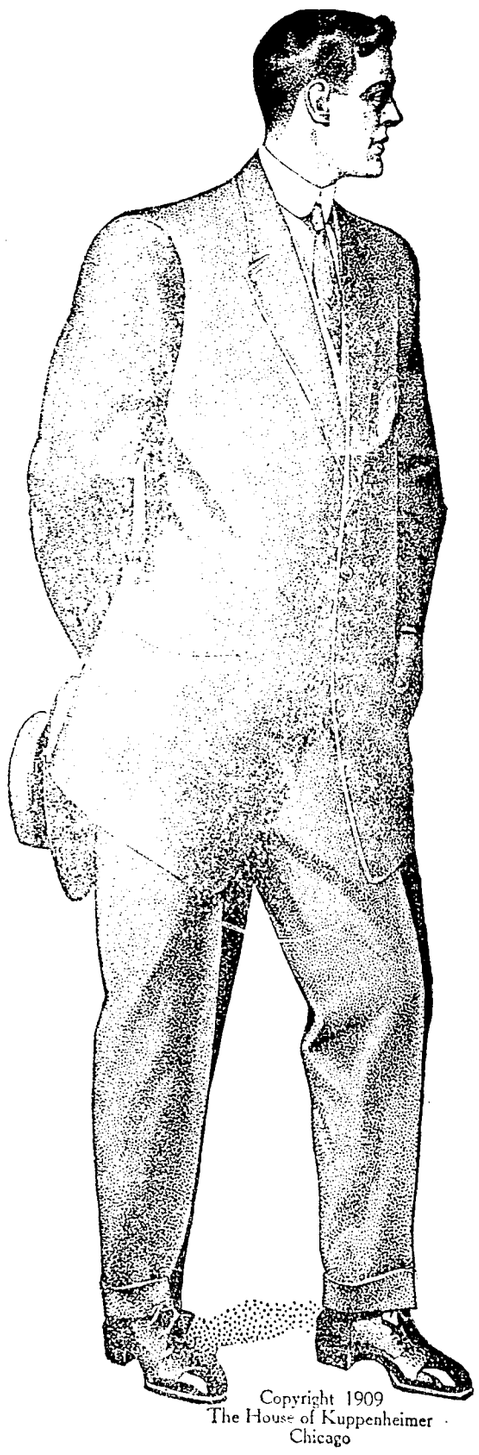
My Stock Is Now Complete and I can show you the swellest stock ever seen in Ukiah of either Men's or Young Men's Clothes at prices that will surprise you.

Quality is one of the main factors in Kuppenheimer Clothing. Every garment is made by first-class tailors and gets the same attention as that made by a custom tailor.

I carry all grades of clothing, $7.50 and up.



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SHOES Three large shipments of Spring Shoes and Oxfords just arrived from the east. My line of $2.50 Ladies' Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps are the best ever for the money. **$2.50 UP**

LADIES' SPRING SUITS

TAILOR SUITS—[illegible] to buy a Spring Suit now [illegible] line to get it while the stock is complete. [illegible] and only a good assortment to choose from, but [illegible] a perfect fit.

WASH SUITS—New suits arrive daily. A big assortment of colors and patterns.

SILK SUITS and DRESSES—My prices are right on all silks. You can buy them at the City of Ukiah at prices that will be a revelation.

LINGERIE DRESSES—A new lot of lingerie dresses just arrived. The prices are right.

LADIES' SPRING FURNISHINGS

WAISTS—My waists are making a hit. I can show you waists in both plain and tailored effects at prices that would surprise you.

GLOVES—I secured the agency for Kayser Silk Gloves, so no lady need go without a guaranteed glove. You can find P. Centemerie's guaranteed kid gloves at the City of Ukiah.

HOSIERY—A new shipment of hosiery just arrived. I can give you plain and the lace hosiery in all the latest shades. Also a beautiful lot of Embroidered Hose.

CORSETS—R. & G. Corsets can only be found here. All the newest shades at all prices from 50c up.

City of Ukiah

H. MARKS PROP.

THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS

Ukiah Cloak and Suit House

THE HOME FOR

Ladies' Hosiery

A full line of all the latest shades in Ladies' Hosiery just arrived. The best 25 and 50c hose on the market.

Ukiah Cloak and Suit House

Specialty House for New Styles

SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

Personal Jottings and Newsy Notes of Town and County

H. B. Muir was down from Willits on Tuesday.

T. J. Cooper was over from Hermitage this week on business.

Attorney W. P. Thomas was called to the city Wednesday on legal business.

C. J. Buchanan, of Elk, was in town this week renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. J. T. Farrer and Ernest Ferrer, of Boonville, were guests at the Palace on Tuesday.

Mrs. Dean is enjoying a short visit with relatives and friends in San Francisco this week.

John Redemeyer and family came up from a two week's visit to the city last Wednesday.

Mrs. DeLong and daughter Hazel left on Thursday for their future home in Los Gatos.

Vane Thornton and Eli Jones and son were among the Potterites in town last Saturday.

Bill Donnelly, the well known Boonvillite, was a visitor to the county seat during the week.

Joshua Grindle, the well known capitalist of Mendocino, paid Ukiah a business visit early this week.

Mrs. A. J. Thatcher has returned from a visit to relatives in Palo Alto and is much improved in health.

Miss Alice Chalfant, of San Jose, spent several days with her mother in the city during the past week.

Rev. Leander Turney is here from Santa Rosa holding revival meetings for Rev. Brown of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Corvin Stoner, and litte daughter of Sebastopol, are spending a few weeks in our city visiting her sister Miss Nellie Reed.

Sheriff Jack Bailey, of Glenn county, came up Saturday evening with a patient for the local state hospital. He is one of the most popular sheriffs in the state.

A party of Ukiah fisherman spent several days on Eel river during the week and succeeded in catching eighteen steelheads, so they claim.

Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Menihan was in this community this week investigating the saloons across the valley that have been selling liquor to Indians.

H. H. Miller has sold the Palace barber shop to Rohan Brothers, of Oakland, and the new proprietors are now in possession. Mr. Miller will remain at the shop for the present.

Harry L. Jackson has remodeled his store on Perkins street. The old glass front has been removed, and a modern entrance takes its place. The stock of goods are now displayed in an attractive manner.

Maude Lucas, the infant child of T. A. Lucas and wife died in this city on Monday of pneumonia. The funeral services were held from the Presbyterian church on Wednesday.

Lem Montague is gradually improving and is able to get out and take a sun bath these nice mornings. He attended the Knight Templar service at the M. E. Church, South, on Easter.

Dr. H. J. Trachman, the eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Santa Rosa, will be at the Hotel Cecille on Sunday, April 2, to attend to the wants of his patients in this community.

Mrs. N. B. Kirtley has returned from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Marysville. She had a very enjoyable visit despite the disagreeable weather and high water last winter.

Ray Douglass has secured a position with the well known wholesale grocery house of Tillman & Bendal, of San Francisco. His family will move to the metropolis soon and reside there in the future.

Mrs. John Hollingsworth died at her home near Muir's mill last week. She was 28 years old and her untimely death is generally regretted. The funeral was held from the M. E. Church, South, of this city, and the interment was in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

G. E. Jamison and family took a trip to Lakeport last Sunday in their big gasoline wagon. Mr. Jamison is getting to be an expert chauffeur, and finds that the roads of this valley are too limited to allow him the necessary milege for this favorite sport.

Ed Cheseboro, M. L. Gibson, J. H. Carothers and Clarence Lynch left on Wednesday for a few days fishing trip in Reeves' canyon.

B. H. Ginocchio, a former Ukiah boy, and Miss Alice Crane, of San Francisco, were married in Los Angeles on April 1st. The groom is employed on the Southern Pacific railroad between San Francisco and Los Angeles and the happy couple will reside in the southland.

Attorney J. E. Pemberton returned from the coast this week where he had been called on account of the serious illness of his father, B. Pemberton of Inglenook. When J. E. arrived, however, the old gentleman had improved and was out of danger. B. Pemberton is one of the pioneers of the county and is 76 years old. Friends here are glad to hear of his convalescence.

E. F. DeCamp, Jr. came up from Los Angeles this week and proceeded to Willits where he will reside in future. His wife and his parents will come later as soon as their health improves.

J. E. Pemberton went to the city Tuesday morning to attend to law business at that end of the line. His son Bennett has charge of the city office and is doing remarkably well and will soon be ready for admission to the bar.

Mrs. Tinnie Myers Gallison, of Mt. Bullison, and Mrs. Pat Turner, of San Francisco, passed through town Wednesday en route to Fort Bragg where their mother is at the point of death.

Fred T. Brown, of Santa Rosa, will be here the latter part of the month with his electric carpet cleaner and will be fully equipped to do carpet cleaning on short notice. He was here last year and his work was generally satisfactory.

Rubber and leather garden hose at Brunner's. The prices are right.

Special prices on wagons, buggies and haying tools at A. P. Brunner's.

Look for Brunner's guessing add next week.

C. W. DeLong and family have left Ukiah for their future home in Los Gatos.

Mrs. H. H. Jarvis, of Mendocino, was a guest in our city the early part of the week.

Constable Colberg was over from Fort Bragg the first of the week.

G. A. Daniels and Joshua Grindle, two prominent citizens of the coast, were county seat visitors this week on business.

SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS

Addie Lambert vs F. O. Scott—Demurrer to complaint sustained.

Estate of James Miller, deceased—Continued till April 16th.

Estate of Charles Beyer, deceased—Testimony of Henrik Heynman ordered taken after inspecting photogrpahic copy of will of deceased.

Estate of Byron Clark, deceased—Mrs. Oleva Clark appointed administratrix, bonds $6,500.

Estate of Sarah F. Marshall, deceased—Order directing administrator to sell real estate.

Estate of Francis E. English, deceased—Order directing administrator to sell real estate.

Estate of Jeremiah Sullivan, deceased—Decree of final distribution.

Estate of Gertrude W. Bercuroid, deceased—H. B. Muir appointed administrator, bonds $2,400.

Estate Leonhard Brechfold, deceased—H. B. Muir appointed administrator, bonds $1,800.

Estate of Seymour Marks, deceased—Homestead set apart to the surviving spouse.

Estate of Elizabeth Nobles, deceased—Confirmation of sale of real estate as follows: To Emma Harlan, $6050; to Mrs. John Thurman, $905; Emma Harlan $540.

Town of Ukiah City vs York & Cleland—Demurrer to answer sustained without leave to amend.

J. M. Jenkins vs Sam W. Shores—The name of Robert Duncan entered as attorney for plaintiff. Demurrer overruled and 20 days to answer.

Geo. McCowen vs W. G. Poage—Decree quieting title to lots in Ukiah.

John Inman et al vs L. E. White L. Company—Trial set for May 19th.

Joshua Grindle vs. W. S. Markle—Default of defendant ordered entered and judgment entered for $1073.50.

T. C. B. Finney vs Jennie Mellan Finney—Demurrer overruled; defendant excepts, 10 days to answer.

C. J. Buchanan vs J. W. Hall—Judgment for plaintiff in accordance with stipulation.

W. C. Davidson vs Mrs. Elizabeth Antrim et al—Amended Demurrer sustained and 15 days to amend.

The Meeting of Presbytery

Presbytery met in Ukiah Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Forty-two ministers and elders were present. The sessions were well attended and much important business transacted including the distribution of moneys to Home Mission fields; the hearing of reports from the boards of the church and addresses upon lines to improve the work of the Presbytery. The ladies served a chicken dinner in the Sunday school room. Ukiah is included in Benicia Presbytery which includes all the counties north of San Francisco to the Oregon line and east to Sacrameto valley. It is a Presbytery of small churches but many consecrated men.

The installment of Rev. Paul R. Dickie was postponed by Presbytery at the request of the pastor himself. He is sorry that so many, not knowing, were present and were thus disappointed.

The following resolutions were unaminously adopted by the Presbytery of Benicia in session at Ukiah, April 14, 1909:

The Presbytery of Benicia hereby puts on record its grateful appreciation of the Divine favor which has been so marked in the progress made in the church's increasing efforts to over come the destructive power of the saloon over the bodies, mind and soul of men. We hail with joy the general co operation of business men in efforts to withdraw their employes from the baneful influence of strong drink. We are profoundly grateful for the results through the actions of legislative bodies in the suppression of the saloon. Presbytery also express its hearty appreciation of the work of the permanent committee on temperance of the general assembly, and of its attention to the work on this coast, the praiseworthy efforts of the Anti-saloon League to secure local option in California and the faithful presentation of temperance work upon the part of our ministers, according to the deliverances of the general assembly, has been hearty, and a large element in the measure of success already attained is due to their fidelity and the Presbytery urges all its ministers and sessions to use all lawful means to carry out the instuctions of the general assembly on this matter.

J. W. Preston and wife and children went to the city yesterday, where the youngest child will be placed in a hospital for medical treatment.

Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino will receive bids for the building of a bridge across Eel river in Jackson valley on Branscomb and Westport road, according to plans and specifications as adopted by the Board of Supervisors on April 7th, 1909. Said bids shall be sealed and must be accompanied by a certified check covering ten per cent of said bid to be filed with the clerk of said Board of Supervisors on or before 3 o'clock P. M. of the 4th day of May A. D. 1909.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with said county of Mendocino for the building of said road, and will be required to give a bond with two or more sufficient sureties satisfactory to said Board, in the sum of not less than one-third of the amount of such bid for the faithful performance of said contract.

Said Board of Supervisors hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

D. H. LAWSON,
Chairman of said Board of Supervisors.

Attest: Hale McCowen, Clerk of said Board.

By C. H. White, Deputy.

Probate

In the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Susan Todd, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday the 10th day of May, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, and the court room of said court, at the court house, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Mary Susan Todd, deceased, and for hearing the application of Thomas J. Gibson for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner. HALE McCOWEN,
County Clerk.

By C. H. White, Deputy Clerk.

W. G. Poage, Attorney for Petitioner, Ukiah, California.

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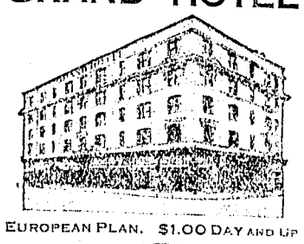

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Probate of Will

In the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Ekroth, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, and the court room of said court, at the court house, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said John H. Ekroth, deceased, and for hearing the application of John Taylor for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon. And all persons intertest in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and letters of administration with the will annexed thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN,
County Clerk.

Thomas & Thomas, attorneys for Petitioner.

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ATTACKED BY A LION.

Awful Experience of a Railroad Man In Africa.

IN THE JAWS OF A MAN EATER.

Dragged From His Bed by the Fierce Monster, He Was Mangled and Gashed and Carried Off Bodily by the Brute.

The following description of an attack by a lion, as related to Mr. St. Michael Podmore, F. Z. S., while he was returning from a sojourn in the wild places of the earth, is so terribly realistic that we offer no apology for printing it. Mr. Podmore met the hero of this story while on a trip across the Pacific ocean and was shown the terrible scars on the man's body:

I was engaged on the transcontinental Cape to Cairo line, and our gang consisted of two white men and fifty blacks. We each occupied a separate hut.

One dark night I was aroused from sleep by hearing something moving backward and forward beneath my bed. Becoming alarmed, I listened breathlessly to a loud, long and indescribable sniff-sniff which broke the stillness of the night. My experience of Africa was not extensive, but I instantly realized that some wild animal was under my bed. Every one of my faculties became immediately paralyzed with horror. I was unable to utter a sound.

After a moment or two I became aware that a man eating lion was sniffing his way along the edges of the bed, perhaps a little puzzled at the mosquito curtains. I then felt I must do something, and instinctively, yet noiselessly, I huddled all the pillows and bedclothes over my head. No sooner had I done this than the lion, with a horrible pur, grabbed me by the right shoulder and dragged me out on to the floor and immediately began to suck the blood which streamed down my neck and chest, and every time I moved he bit me more savagely.

As I raised my knees to get into a crouching, protective position he gave me a little pat with his paw which nearly broke my leg and inflicted a dreadful wound. Then suddenly the monster dropped me out of his mouth, placed one massive paw on my chest, and then, throwing back his noble head, he gave four terrible roars of triumph and defiance.

My chum walked round the hut and then saw with horror the hole made by the lion, who had torn out the mat walls and crawled under my bed. Then it dawned upon him what had happened, so he ran round to the other side and kicked the door down.

All this time the only thing I seemed to take interest in was the loud sipping suck, suck, made by the lion as he drew my blood into his reeking jaws. I remembered, with a pang of regret, that I had not lived a model life recently, and I began to pray as I had never prayed before. As I prayed I thought how curious it was that I did not feel the slightest sense of pain with a man eating lion chewing my flesh and drinking my blood.

I had been lying on my back, with my neck and head resting against the side of the hut, when my friend smashed the door. As he did so the lion drove his terrible fangs into my right groin and leaped out of the hut into the darkness. As he ran with me he seemed to be twisting and jerking me round sideways, as though striving to get me on his back.

The lion ran across the clearing with me for about thirty yards and put me down under a big boabab tree. I lay on my back with the lion on top of me, occasionally gazing with his great luminous, greenish yellow eyes, which filled me with unutterable loathing, so expressionless and cold were they, yet so diabolical in their ruthless cruelty.

The lion seemed perfectly content with his prey. I felt his long, rough tongue scraping up my thighs and abdomen, and as it crept higher and higher I felt little gusts of his horrible breath. I half turned my head away, but still the long, greedy tongue worked its way toward my throat. I could distinctly feel each bite, because, although it did not cause the slightest pain, yet as the fearful fangs were driven into a fresh place I was conscious of a strange numbness in that particular part.

During all this time the negroes kept screaming, "Nkanga, nkanga!" My friend kept running round the clearing in utter bewilderment. The appalling blackness of the night added horror to the thing which no pen could describe.

At last two negroes were induced to make a couple of torches of dry grass, and by the lurid and uncertain light of these the lion was seen standing over my prostrate body. He was an enormous brute, over ten feet in length, and with a luxuriant, tawny mane that imparted to him a most majestic appearance. My friend told me afterward that as he approached with his gun I was moaning and crooning softly to myself. For some time he was afraid to shoot lest he should kill me instead of the lion. He screamed out, "Keep cool, Jack, and I will see what I can do for you!"

As he crept nearer the lion took his fangs out of my groin and faced about, growling and snarling horribly. The rifle was leveled, there was a sharp report, and the first shot hit the lion in the eye. The ball as it came out shattered his lower jaw. Two more shots were fired, and the fierce monster fell dead by my side.—London Ideas.

ON A MODERN WARSHIP.

The Feelings of a Commander as Described by Himself.

How the commander of a modern big American battleship can feel is disclosed in the following, taken from a letter written by such an officer:

"There are more than 900 men on this ship, and on the theory that an official of the government is a servant of the people I am the servant of these 900 men and am bound to see that they are kept in food and clothing and baseball bats and abundantly supplied with occupation. Perhaps I should feel more independent if I didn't have to listen respectfully to the orderly every time he comes in and makes one of his infinitely numerous reports and put men in jail when I don't want to.

"Some of these 900 men look more dignified and independent than I feel. I wonder whether I look dignified and independent. I suppose I ought to do so, for to swing a steel mass 504 feet long successfully around like monsters and to make 15,000 tons writhe around the corners of narrow channels is something of an art, after all, and one not possessed by many of the inhabitants of the globe.

"With all that swinging of steel monsters around there go the responsibility and the knowledge that if the ship runs aground the whole civilized world will be acquainted with it inside of twenty-four hours."

DEADLY HORNETS.

The Ones That Buzzed About the Young Soldier's Ears.

A great general was taking his regiment into action. He sent forward a detail of men to make gaps in a rail fence to avoid the heavy loss sure to result if the whole body of men paused to tear it down.

The coolest and finest man in the detail was a young soldier who had never been under fire before. When he began pulling down the fence he fancied he had disturbed a nest of hornets, as he thought he heard them singing fiercely about his ears. But the lad was not going to run from hornets when there was more serious business ahead.

Ignoring the angry insects, he opened the fence and rejoined the regiment without being stung.

In a day or two he was surprised to hear that he was to be promoted.

"But," he said modestly, "I don't think I deserve promotion over the others."

"My boy," replied the general, "I saw you pull down that fence. You were the coolest man under fire I ever saw!"

The man gasped, stared and turned pale.

"What!" he exclaimed, regardless of grammar. "Was them wasps bullets?"

Miners on the Corner.

"Those men," said Sherlock Holmes, "are colliers. You can tell it by their attitude."

The men, very clean in white shirts and black overcoats, squatted on their heels on a sunny corner.

"Any other men," continued Holmes, "would stand. They would lean against the lamppost or the wooden Indian of the tobacconist. But these men, in the low galleries or tunnels of coal mines, for lack of space must work seated on their heels—squatting, as we say. And this position, which would become a torture to you or me in five minutes, is to them, from long usage, comfortable and customary. It is their favorite position at all times.

"Hence when you see men idling on their heels on the street corners you can always set them down as miners. If they are bowlegged the case against them is doubly strong."—Buffalo Express.

The Lady Was Not the Ghost.

An Irish family once had a ghost so troublesome that they sent for detectives. One of these men late at night fell asleep in his chair. The lady of the house chanced to come into the room and could not resist the temptation to groan and rattle her keys. She had never played ghost before. It was momentary indiscretion. But the policeman did not and could hardly be expected to believe this. He said it was hardly worth while to bring him from Dublin, and he withdrew in dudgeon. Yet the lady was not really the ghost. He was sulking in retirement; hence doubt has been cast on the ghosts of haunted houses even among reflecting minds.—London News.

Civil Service In England and America.

The difference between the civil service examination in England and in America is important and to the advantage of the English. In the United States the object is almost entirely to discover the immediate fitness of the candidates for the work they are expected to do. In England the object in most cases is to measure what their ability to do the work will be after they have learned it.—From "The Government of England," by A. Lawrence Lowell.

Bliss.

"What sort of time do you expect to have during the social season?"

"Fine," answered Mr. Cumrox. "Mother and the girls will be so busy thinking about their clothes that they won't have time to notice my grammar."—Washington Star.

The Other Side.

"I've been wondering about something."

"About what?"

"I wonder if cooks ever get together and discuss the missus problem."—Kansas City Journal.

Virtue has many preachers, but few martyrs.—Helvetius.

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" 9:25	" 6:28	San Rafael	Ar. 8:33	Ar. 4:30
" 8:35	" 5:44	Petaluma	" 9:15	" 5:32
" 8:01	" 5:10	Santa Rosa	" 9:15	" 6:14
" 7:27	" 4:40	Healdsburg	" 10:15	" 6:58
" 6:58	" 4:03	Cloverdale	" 10:50	" 7:44
" 6:11	" 3:21	Hopland	" 11:28	" 7:50
Lv. 5:45	Lv. 2:55	Ukiah	" 12:02	" 8:05
	A. M.		P. M.	
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Spare the Rod, Spoil the Child

On April 1st thirty-five male students boldly walked out of the Auburn High School in a body, without permission, went to a railroad depot, boarded the motor car, went to Colfax, and came straggling back to school several hours afterward: that when they left they grabbed hold of one of the male teachers, ran him a considerable distance, the while shouting it would be a good joke to take the professor along on the trip; but the professor got away by fast sprinting. In addition to the above some of the pupils unscrewed and removed the gong thus causing confusion in the routine work.

The next day the Principal of the school suspended indefinitely the entire thirty-five pupils. Then there was a mighty uproar from some of the parents of the unruly boys, parents who are controlled by their children; parents who spare the rod and spoil the child. These irate parents took the pupils' part and insisted that the Principal reinstate the pupils at once. The board of education, however, backed up the Principal strongly and issued a ukase that the Principal, and not the boys should run the school. The parents and boys finally came to their senses and the boys went up in a body, like young gentlemen, apologized to the Principal and the school and asked to be reinstated.

How much better for the school was this than to have let the boys and a few foolish parents run the school! The firm stand taken by the Principal caused favorable editorial comment throughout the Sacramento valley; the Sacramento Bee devoting nearly two columns to the subject. It would be a splendid thing if every parent in the state could read that editorial. The schools are run too much these days by the pupils, and parents invariably take the side of the pupils, who are usually in the wrong. What the schools need today is some of the old-fashioned "hazel," and laid on hard, too. The conduct of some pupils would even suggest the "whipping post."

The Auburn incident furnishes an example for pupils and parents not over a hundred miles away. The way to ruin a child and a school, too, is for parents to attempt to object to the discipline outlined. Let every one in a community uphold the teacher and the discipline of the school, instead of siding in with the unruly pupils, and everything will progress smoothly. Forty years ago if a boy got a flogging at school he got one at home, too, with good results to the boy. In some schools a return to the plan of forty years ago would prove exceedingly beneficial.

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Democracy on the Ascendency

THE following aptly illustrates the tendency of the two great political parties in a moral sense: A great big independent farmer dropped into the office the other day, and and we said: "Hello, Bill, what are you now, a Democrat or a Republican?" "Well," he said, "I don't exactly know since all the Democrats have learned to read and the Republican have taken to drinking whiskey."

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The Repubicans are having a high old time with their tariff bill. It has turned out to be revision upward instead of downward and has stirred up opposition all over the country, especially among the women folks who object to the increased cost of the necessaries of life. The Payne bill averages 1.56 per cent higher than the Dingley law and benefits no one but the Trusts, so it is no wonder that the people who have to bear the increased burden are raising an uproar.

THE editor of the Press, with the assistance of a "shyster," made a feeble reply last week to an editorial that appeared in the Dispatch over a month ago. It thus took several weeks for the two to invent an answer and that brilliant answer was that Sanford only amended Section 2 of the License Tax Law, and therefore is not entitled to the authorship of the "Graduated License Tax Law." The whole gist of the law was contained in Section 2—the part relative to the amount of the license, consequently no other section needed amendment to provide for the graduated system. It is not necessary to argue the matter, however, as it is plain to every one but these two. It is probably plain to them, but they have to misrepresent some one, so what's the use? It might as well be the editor of the Dispatch as some one else. The editor of the Press just can't help it, he must prevaricate so often. He is perfectly harmless and no one pays any attention to him, let him continue to amuse himself.

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The new Republican tariff law is raising a great howl from the women folks of the country because it increases the cost of the necessaries of life to such an extent that the masses of the women will have to bear an extra burden. The cost of gloves and stockings will be increased about 50 per cent if the bill passes. If this policy is carried out the women folks will be almost forced to go without stockings and wear sandals. And to cap the climax "mercerized fabric," a very fine cotton goods looking very much like silk and largely worn, has been heavily taxed. And the women folks will shock the modesty of the tariff barons when they appear decollette at both ends and without stockings, or in sheath gowns or directoire skirts because of the increased price of these materials. Its dollars to doughnuts that the Republicans will, as usual, give a hypocritical reason for their actions. They will say they did it so that the unmarried men might see what they were going to get.

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The people have observed that the passage of an ineffective railroad rate bill and an emasculated primary bill was due to the machine, the controlling element in the Republican party. It was due to 18 Republicans and 2 Democrats. Eighty per cent of the Democrats stood for a real direct primary and an effective railroad rate bill. A majority of the Republicans were for makeshift bills while a majority of the Democrats were for effective measures. The situation has been illustrated in another way. The two parties might be likened to two apples, one all sound but a little bit, and the other all rotten but a little bit. While it can not be said that either apple is all sound or all rotten, yet when one wants an apple to eat he takes the soundest one. The Democrats represent the soundest apple.

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The board of supervisors of San Francisco have passed to print an ordinance making it unlawful for slot machines to be used in that city after July 1st. The number of slot machines in operation is 3200 and they produce an annual revenue of $190,000. The ordinance was carried by a vote of 13 to 5.

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Its too bad that the Republican tariff committee, in order to raise enough revenue to defray the expenses of the government, had to delve down into a woman's stocking to get the money.

THE NEW DEMOCRATIC DAILY

Committee Appointed to Start Daily Paper in City

Pursuant to resolution adopted at the last meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee, Chairman Raker has appointed the following committee of 25 to give final force and effect to the establishment of a free, fearless and clean Democratic daily paper in San Francisco:

John E. Raker, (ex-officio member,) Modoc; Theo. A. Bell, Napa; J. B. Sanford, Mendocino; G. W. Cartwright, Fresno; A. Caminetti, Amador; A. E. Campbell, San Louis Obispo; J. B. Curtin, Tuolumne; E. O. Miller, Tulare; J. B. Holohan, Santa Cruz; C. B. Andros, Yuba; T. Spellacy, Los Angeles; J. J. Wells, Tehama; D. W. Carmichael, Sacramento; Frank Gavin, Contra Costa; W. H. Rogers, Santa Clara; M. J. Laymance, Alameda; K. C. Gillis, Siskiyou; L. W. Juillard, Sonoma; J. D. Phelan, Curtis Hilyer, Harry Sullivan, San Francisco; A. L. Cowell, Stockton; Henry Hewson, Fresno; Thomas Renison, Monterey; Phil B. Lynch, Solano; J. F. Coonan, Humboldt.

The preliminaries for starting the paper have all been attended to and it is expected that the paper will be launched into existence about the first of June.

The committee of 25 will meet at state headquarters in the Argonaut Hotel, San Francisco, Saturday April 17th for the purpose of making final arrangements for inaugurating the enterprise.

Big Acreage in Beans This year

Henry Wambold will soon start work with the big centrifugal pump intended to drain Tule lake, the water having dropped nearly to the dam which is to prevent the backflow. The pump has a capacity of 25,000 gallons per minute, at which rate it will not take long to empty the basin. When the lake is drained, Mr. Wambold expects to put in a larger crop than ever of the succulent string beans, which, when canned, have helped to make Lake county famous. He has also 35 acres of asparagus planted, which product will be put up in his cannery this season.—Clear Lake Press.

A Rehearing Granted

The Appellate court granted a rehearing last week in the celebrated mechanic's lien case of Lucas vs. Rea and the Bank of Ukiah. The case was tried here and won by Attorney Preston but was appealled to the Appellate court which court decided against Preston. A rehearing was granted last week and the case will start over and will be resubmitted.

Fishermen are Re-arrested

Clyde Brooks and Gardy Gibson, the young men who had a preliminary hearing before Judge Shinn of Potter valley last week, were rearrested this week and will have their preliminary before Judge Crocket. The boys are charged with having a steehead in their possession.

Reeves' Canyon Resort

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Taking School Census

The trustees of the various school districts throughout the county have appointed the census marshals to enumerate the number of children. They begun their work yesterday and will have till the first of May to complete it. The following are busy in this vicinity taking the census: Pine ridge, Mrs. Carrie Underhill; Carroll, Pinelope Johnson; Cold creek, Viola Bowen; Lima, Mrs. C. H. Yates; Low Gap, Carrie Nevin; Mill creek, Mrs. E. M. McCracken; Willow, Mrs. Kate Prather.

Oliver Myers and wife were up from Hopland yesterday on a visit and incidentally to attend to some business matters.

The Little Lake Herald got out quite a creditable souvenir edition last week which was replete with interesting matter concerning our northern metropolis. Such enterprise should receive the support of the community.

The preliminary examination of James W. Patterson, charged with the crime of raping Alice McFarland, was heard by Justice Crockett yesterday and the defendant was bound over to appear before the superior court, the amount of the bond being fixed at $1,000.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT

Highly Respected Pioneer Citizen of Hopland Passes to the Great Beyond

Hopland, April 15—The deceased, Richard Balinger Stephenson, was born in Whitey county, Kentucky, September 1, 1819, and died at Hopland, California April 6, 1909, aged 89 years 7 months and 4 days.

Richard Stevenson first left Kentucky in 1846, but returned to his old home for a short visit in the spring of 1849. After which he located at Galatin, Mo. where he was engaged in the mercantile business for over seventeen years, and from there emigrated to the far west, first stopping in Nevada, where he was interested in the gold mines for sometime, and in the year 1860 he came to California and located in Sonoma county where he resided with the Sears family for a number of years. In the spring of 1880 he came to Hopland where he conducted a general merchandise store for over twenty-seven years, but within the last year he sold this store and had retired from active business. Since this time he made his home with Mr. Oliver Myers and family.

Mr. Stephenson was a highly respected citizen, kindly disposed, very honorable and upright in all his business dealings, a firm lover of truth and believed in doing unto others as he would that others should do unto him. Within the past few months he had made all arrangements and plans to return to his old home in Kentucky, as just recently he had heard that his youngest half sister is still living there, and how he looked forward with such great anticipations to that joyful meeting, saying to his friends on one occasion that no greater fortune could be bestowed upon him than to be permitted to once more see this beloved sister. But death has claimed him for its own; and the meeting must be in heaven, when at the dawn of the beautiful morning he fell asleep to never more awaken in this world, the bright and kindly spirit had passed unto heaven, and God who gave it.

An Evening on the Plantation

"An Evening on the Plantation," under the auspices of the Organ Circle of the M. E. Church, South, will be given on Friday evening, April 30th, at the Ukiah opera house. The arrangements will be distinctively characteristic of plantation life, and the program will consist of the old and most loved melodies of the southland. Every effort is being used to make each number a feature of special interest and enjoyment. A large number of selected voices are now being drilled for the occasion. After the program is completed there will be "open house," real down southern hospitality will prevail, and many a tempting morsel will be dispensed after the customs of the "Old Manse." The entire program as above will be repeated on Wednesday evening May 5th, complimentary to the teachers of Mendocino county. Watch for program elaborations next week.

Hop Contracts

The following hop contracts at Santa Rosa are reported by the Press-Democrat: G. W. Kennedy & Co. with B. F. Ballard 20,000 pounds of hops for each of the next three years at 10½ cents and 11 cents per pound; Chas. Green & Son with E. W. Woolsey & Son 20,000 pounds for each of the next three years at 10 and 11 cents; Same with T. B. Miller, 20,000 pounds, same number of years for 10 and 10¼ cents; Same with S. W. Purrington 20,000 pounds same number of years at 10 and 10½ cents.

Knights Templar Service

The Knights Templar of the Ukiah Commandery marched in a body last Sunday to the M. E. Church, South, where their Easter services were held. The church was beautifuly decorated and was crowded to the doors many having been turned away. The choir had special music which was very appropriate for the occasion. The sermon was preached by Rev. Govette and was very interesting. After the service the Knights, accompanied by their wives, marched to the Masonic hall where lunch was served. A number of Knights were here from a distance.

Baptist Church

The meetings at the Baptist church which are being conducted by the Rev. Leander Turney, of Santa Rosa, have been increasing in interest every day and Mr. Turney will preach Sunday morning and evening and every night next week except Saturday. Dr. Maddrill will sing at the evening meetings. The public is invited.

G. M. Kidd and family, of Hopland, have been guests at the Cecille for a few days this week.

Not Entirely Irrelevant or Incompetent

Women vs. Anatomy

: : : : Contributed by "J. L." : : : :

If there is one characteristic that differentiates the sexes it is the insatiable desire for change manifested by the so-called weaker sex. Man has much of the dislike for change so strongly manifested in the cat, or the setting hen, and frequents the same haunts, patronizes the same barber and prefers his old, comfortable clothing in preference to making changes of any kind.

In spite of the Solomanic aphorism that there is nothing new under the sun, woman wants change and usually gets it if hubby's pocket book holds out. There is one peculiarity of the fair sex that is absolutely inexplicable, and that is the dissatisfaction of woman with her form. Not satisfied with being made "in the image of God" she is continually changing, cameleon like, to the despair of the of the sculptor and astonishment of the anatomist. At one time she will appear with a protuberance upon her hips, which if it was higher would give her the semblance of a hunchback. Anon, and it is transformed to the wishbone and gives her a dropsical appearance similar to the pouter pigeon. Tiring of this wet-nurse effect, the hump is split in two and appears upon her shoulders with a fine leg of mutton effect. This, in turn, is inverted and we have the pendent wen sleeve of a number of years ago. The most astonishing display, however, was the balooning of the nether garments with hoops, making a woman look like a huge gum drop.

For a brief interval the style-makers having temporarily exhausted their ideas, women appeared with clothing that left her substantially as God made her; but the interval was brief and was succeeded by night-mares in anatomical get-ups that are remembered yet. The body affording no further changes in tthe tumor line, the hypertrophy was switched aloft and the bustle in the form of "rats" and covered with hair appeared on the head, necessitating the clothes basket hats of the present time. The waist line has been moved as often as the Plimsoll Mark by unscrupulous skippers, and has gravitated from the armpits to varying points below its normal position, the furtherest point south being attained during the time the kangaroo shape was in vogue. It is now practically obliterated in order to produce the dachshund shape of today which requires a corset extending almost to the knees.

It being a misdeameanor to appear without clothing the satutes are avoided by exposing the person on the installment plan. At one time the bosom is revealed to the gaze of the admiring public, next season the sleeves are left off, promptly followed by a like display of the legs, as in the directoire gown. The peek-a-boo was a reversion to the Eve type, the upper part of the person being practically on exhibition. In the modern society gown, the peek-a-boo is gone one better and the waist has degenerated into a couple of vermiform appendices in the form of suspenders which serve to hold up the skirt. If the redundency of the latter garment was placed over the upper part of the body society women might, in time, regain the lost habit of blushing.

Mother Eve's costume may have been scanty but it was dictated by modesty and did not skate on the ragged edge of indecent exposure. A resume in styles in womens garments almost brings one to the conclusion that people were modest until they began to wear clothing. The length of the skirt has varied from the high water affair, showing the ruffles of the unmentionables, to a train a yard in length. In circumference it has changed from three feet, just permitting perambulation, to twenty-four. It has been contracted above and inflated below and vice-versa. It has been covered with overskirts and expanded with stiff underskirts and finally slit up the side. There is nothing beautiful about an hour glass, but the attainment of this ideal shape has been the one consistency of which women have been guilty during modern times. This has necessited the invention of the corset and compelled the migration of the abdominal contents to some less constricted portion of the feminine form.

There has been less opportunity for change in foot wear but the present styles in shoes, with the abbreviated toes and exaggerated heels have ruined the carriage and will soon render walking an obsolete form of exercise with the fair sex.

Hats have been the single article of feminine attire that have not tended to distort her form and injure health but the changes in form and adornment have been most bewildering. They have been contracted and expanded, contorted and distorted. Made of everything imaginable, earth, air and water have been searched in order to procure novel embelishment.

Woman, lovely woman, indeed thou art "fearfully and wonderfully made."

AGAINST WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Ukiah Woman Expresses Her Views Relative to the Rights of Women

The Examiner is conducting a column "Should Women Vote" and is publishing short articles on the subject by women. So far one woman has been brave enough to "protest" and that one was Mrs. Louise V. Oncken, of Ukiah. Her "protest" was published in Wednesday's Examiner. It was the subject of favorable comment and expresses the sentiment of the thinking women. The article follows:

Editor Examinre:—I herewith hand you my protest against women voting. For the last few hundred years the world has progressed very well in the line of science and civiliaztion without women meddling and fooling their time away with politics. To my mind nothing would be more degrading than a nice sweet feminine woman having to brush skirts around the ballot box with the lowest and most degraded of our sex. If we are smarter than men we should have the right of franchise and they be denied it. If we are just as smart and no smarter I cannot see where we could accomplish any good. If we are not as smart as men we could only make things worse. I fail to see where men are trying to crush women any way. They are usually very courteous to ladies. When they legislate if they pass a good law we of the weaker sex get the benefit of it as well as they. I think woman had better stay where she is.

Venus, I believe got above old Sol in Dec. 1882. She only stayed there a few hours and modestly retired finding out she could not improve upon existing conditions.

Yours Respectfully
Mrs. Louise V. Oncken.

Presbyterian Church

The services next Sabbath will be conducted by Rev. H. T. Caskey, of Point Arena. Rev. Paul R. Dickie will occupy his pulpit at Point Arena and also deliver a lecture Saturday night in behalf of "The Boy's Sunshine Club."

St. John's M. E. Church

The Easter services last Sunday, both morning and evening were of a very high character. The music consisting of solos, duetts, quartettes and anthems, was especially fine. By special request the ladies' quartette "He Loveth Again," sang by Mrs. Cameron, Miss Keller, Miss Bartlett and Mrs. C. J. Beckley, and the contralto solo by Miss Bartlett will be sung again next Sunday morning.

Dr. G. L. Pearson, district superintendent, will conduct the 2nd quarterly conference Saturday at 3 p. m., April 28th, and will preach Sunday evening, April 25th.

The subject for next Sunday morning will be the fourth in the series of sermons on the "Essential Doctrine of Christ" viz; "The Inspiration of the Bible." The evening subject will be "Forsaking Christ for the Love of the World." All are most cordially invited.

Supervisor Opposes New Road

E. L. Hansen was in town this week and spoke of the new road. He said Supervisor Gillmore has inspected the proposed route for a road around Navarro ridge and has come to the conclusion that by the time he buys rights of ways from four land owners, pays for the fencing and builds the new road it will be cheaper to gravel the Salmon creek hill and put it in good condition for travel.—Beacon.

Strayed or Stolen

From the James Maksenta ranch, in the Ornbaun district, in January, one bay mare; weight about 800, lbs. with small white spot on forehead; also one black horse of about the same weight. Reward for information or return to JAMES MAKSENTA, Ornbaun postoffice. 1m.

George Richardson and wife and a party of friends autoed down from Willits yesterday for a little outing and visited relatives and friends here.